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REF: (A) STATE 75950; (B) STATE 63331

- 1. MISSION HAS APPOINTMENT WITH NEW ZEALANDERS APRIL 27 TO CARRY OUT REFERENCED INSTRUCTIONS. WE ASSUME REQUEST FOR ROLLBACK SHOULD BE LIMITED TO TARIFF INCREASES NOTIFIED IN SECRETS 208, 211 AND 213 (I. E. FLOOR COVERINGS, MEASURING/CHECKING INSTRUMENTS AND MARINE ENGINES) AND NOT REFER TO OTHER NOTIFICATIONS (E. G. SECRET/212 SOLDER) WHERE US HAS NO SIGNIFICANT TRADE INTEREST OR INR.
- 2. MISSION UNDERSTANDS K. J. FUTTER, SENIOR TRADE POLICY OFFICIAL, WILL ACCOMPANY NZ MINISTER WALDING TO WASHINGTON TALKS APRIL 30- MAY 1. AS COMMUNICATIONS GAP STILL SEEMS TO EXIST BETWEEN WELLINGTON AND LOCAL NZ MISSION, WASHINGTON MAY WISH TO CALL FUTTER'S ATTENTION TO NEW ZEALAND'S NON- COMPLIANCE WITH ARTICLE XXVIII LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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REQUIREMENTS. WE MENTIONED MATTER TO FUTTER HERE APRIL 24 BUT DID NOT HAVE OPPORTUNITY FOR REAL DISCUSSION AND BELIEVE WASHINGTON MENTION MIGHT HAVE MORE IMPACT. RIMESTAD

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